

United States District Court Northern District of Illinois
MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR PRO HAC VICE

Case Title: NIKKO D'AMBROSIO, <div style="text-align: center;">VS.</div> ABBIGAIL RAJALA, ET AL.,	Plaintiff(s) Defendant(s)
Case Number: 1:24-cv-678	Judge: Sunil R. Harjani

I, Melanie M. Blunski hereby apply to the Court

under Local Rule 83.14 for permission to appear and participate in the above-entitled action on behalf of

Meta Platforms, Inc. by whom I have been retained.

I am a member in good standing and eligible to practice before the following courts:

Title of Court	Date Admitted
Attachment A	

I have currently, or within the year preceding the date of this application, made pro hac vice applications to this Court in the following actions:

Case Number	Case Title	Date of Application (Granted or Denied)*
N/A		

*If denied, please explain:
 (Attach additional form if necessary)

Has the applicant ever been:

censured, suspended, disbarred, or otherwise disciplined by any court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

or is the applicant currently the subject of an investigation of the applicant's professional conduct?

Yes ☐

No ☒

transferred to inactive status, voluntarily withdrawn, or resigned from the bar of any court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

denied admission to the bar of any court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

held in contempt of court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

NOTE: If the answer to *any* of the above questions is yes, please attach a brief description of the incident(s) and the applicant's current status before any court, or any agency thereof, where disciplinary sanctions were imposed, or where an investigation or investigations of the applicant's conduct may have been instituted.

I have read the Rules of Professional Conduct for the Northern District of Illinois and the Standards for Professional Conduct within the Seventh Federal Judicial Circuit, and will faithfully adhere to them. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

8/22/2024

s/ Melanie M. Blunschi

Date

Electronic Signature of Applicant

Applicant's Name	Last Name Blunschi		First Name Melanie		Middle Name/Initial M
	Applicant's Law Firm Latham & Watkins LLP				
Applicant's Address	Street Address 505 Montgomery Street				Room/Suite Number 2000
	City San Francisco	State CA	ZIP Code 94111	Work Phone Number and Email +1.415.391.0600, melanie.blunschi@lw.com	

(The pro hac vice admission fee is \$150.00 and shall be paid to the Clerk. No admission under Rule 83.14 is effective until such time as the fee has been paid.)

NOTE: Attorneys seeking to appear pro hac vice may wish to consider filing a petition for admission to the general bar of this Court. The fee for admission to the General Bar is \$181.00. The fee for pro hac vice admission is \$150.00. Admission to the general bar permits an attorney to practice before this Court. Pro hac vice admission entitles an attorney to appear in a particular case only. Application for such admission must be made in each case; and the admission fee must be paid in each case.

Attachment A

Court Admissions
California, 6 December 2004
U.S. District Court, Central District of California, 27 December 2004
U. S. District Court, Northern District of California, 14 April 2015
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California, 30 April 2015
U.S. District Court, Central District of Illinois, 27 December 2021
U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit, 21 December 2004
U.S. Court of Appeals for the 2nd Circuit, 11 June 2010
U.S. Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit, 29 March 2024